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In re Application of

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STABILIZED POLYMER BEADS  
AND METHOD OF  
PREPARATION

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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**UNDER RULE 323**

Request is hereby made on behalf of the inventor and assignee that hereinafter-identified mistakes in the above-identified patent can be corrected by issuance of a Certificate of Correction. Such mistakes occurred in some instances as a result of the applicants. The Director is hereby authorized to charge Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account 05-0225.

The location of such mistakes in the patent, and of the corresponding correct language in the application, are as follows:

Patent Reference

Column 18, Line 7

Column 18, Lines 18-19

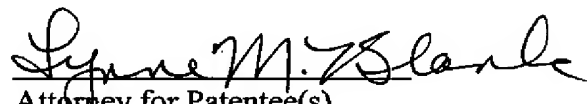
Application Reference

Claim 40, Line 12 (Excluding Structure)

Claim 43, Line 3

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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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|------------------------|--|
| Column 18, Line 7      | In Claim 10, delete "CH <sub>2</sub> or -CH <sub>2</sub> -CH <sub>2</sub> X <sub>1</sub> " and insert - - CH <sub>2</sub> or -CH <sub>2</sub> -CH <sub>2</sub> X <sub>1</sub> - -, therefor. |
| Column 18, Lines 18-19 | In Claim 13, delete "polysaccharides." and insert - - polysaccharides, - -, therefor.  |